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Examiner of Parent: Luan C. THAI

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Applicant(s): TERUI et al.

Serial No. of Parent: 10/211,365

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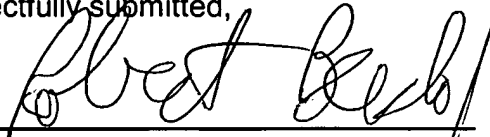
Sir:

This is an information disclosure statement submitted in compliance with the timing requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(1).

The Examiner is respectfully requested to consult related copending application serial number 10/211,365, filed on August 5, 2002, for which priority under 35 U.S.C. §120 has been relied upon, for copies of the documents listed on the attached PTO-1449 form, which have been previously submitted therein (37 C.F.R. §1.98(d)).

Since this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed with the application, no certification or fee is required, and the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 and 1.98 are deemed to be fully met as to the document submitted. Consideration of the previously submitted documents is respectfully requested.

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